#### § 162.1301

# Subpart M—Referral Certification and Authorization

## § 162.1301 Referral certification and authorization transaction.

The referral certification and authorization transaction is any of the following transmissions:

- (a) A request from a health care provider to a health plan for the review of health care to obtain an authorization for the health care.
- (b) A request from a health care provider to a health plan to obtain authorization for referring an individual to another health care provider.
- (c) A response from a health plan to a health care provider to a request described in paragraph (a) or paragraph (b) of this section.

[74 FR 3326, Jan. 16, 2009]

#### § 162.1302 Standards for referral certification and authorization transaction.

The Secretary adopts the following standards for the referral certification and authorization transaction:

- (a) For the period from October 16, 2003 through March 16, 2009:
- (1) Retail pharmacy drug referral certification and authorization. The NCPDP Telecommunication Standard Implementation Guide, Version 5, Release 1 (Version 5.1), September 1999, and equivalent NCPDP Batch Standard Batch Implementation Guide, Version 1, Release 1 (Version 1.1), January 2000, supporting Telecommunications Standard Implementation Guide, Version 5, Release 1 (Version 5.1) for the NCPDP Data Record in the Detail Data Record. (Incorporated by reference in §162.920).
- (2) Dental, professional, and institutional referral certification and authorization. The ASC X12N 278—Health Care Services Review—Request for Review and Response, Version 4010, May 2000, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X094 and Addenda to Health Care Services Review—Request for Review and Response, Version 4010, October 2002, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X094A1. (Incorporated by reference in §162.920).
- (b) For the period from March 17, 2009 through December 31, 2011 both—
- (1) The standards identified in paragraph (a) of this section; and

(2)(i) Retail pharmacy drugs. The Telecommunication Standard Implementation Guide Version D, Release 0 (Version D.0), August 2007, and equivalent Batch Standard Implementation Guide, Version 1, Release 2 (Version 1.2), National Council for Prescription Drug Programs. (Incorporated by reference in § 162.920.)

- (ii) Dental, professional, and institutional request for review and response. The ASC X12 Standards for Electronic Data Interchange Technical Report Type 3—Health Care Services Review—Request for Review and Response (278), May 2006, ASC X12N/005010X217, and Errata to Health Care Services Review—Request for Review and Response (278), ASC X12 Standards for Electronic Data Interchange Technical Report Type 3, April 2008, ASC X12N/005010X217E1. (Incorporated by reference in §162.920.)
- (c) For the period on and after January 1, 2012, the standards identified in paragraph (b)(2) of this section.

[68 FR 8398, Feb. 20, 2003, as amended at 74 FR 3326, Jan. 16, 2009]

### Subpart N—Health Care Claim Status

### § 162.1401 Health care claim status transaction.

The health care claim status transaction is the transmission of either of the following:

- (a) An inquiry from a health care provider to a health plan to determine the status of a health care claim.
- (b) A response from a health plan to a health care provider about the status of a health care claim.

[74 FR 3326, Jan. 16, 2009]

### § 162.1402 Standards for health care claim status transaction.

The Secretary adopts the following standards for the health care claim status transaction:

(a) For the period from October 16, 2003 through March 16, 2009: The ASC X12N-276/277 Health Care Claim Status Request and Response, Version 4010, May 2000, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X093 and Addenda to Health Care Claim Status Request and Response, Version 4010, October 2002, Washington Publishing Company,

004010X093A1. (Incorporated by reference in §162.920.)

- (b) For the period from March 17, 2009 through December 31, 2011, both:
- (1) The standard identified in paragraph (a) of this section; and
- (2) The ASC X12 Standards for Electronic Data Interchange Technical Report Type 3—Health Care Claim Status Request and Response (276/277), August 2006, ASC X12N/005010X212, and Errata to Health Care Claim Status Request and Response (276/277), ASC X12 Standards for Electronic Data Interchange Technical Report Type 3, April 2008, ASC X12N/005010X212E1. (Incorporated by reference in §162.920.)
- (c) For the period on and after January 1, 2012, the standard identified in paragraph (b)(2) of this section.

[74 FR 3326, Jan. 16, 2009]

## Subpart O—Enrollment and Disenrollment in a Health Plan

# § 162.1501 Enrollment and disenrollment in a health plan transaction.

The enrollment and disenrollment in a health plan transaction is the transmission of subscriber enrollment information from the sponsor of the insurance coverage, benefits, or policy, to a health plan to establish or terminate insurance coverage.

 $[74~{\rm FR}~3327,\,{\rm Jan.}~16,\,2009]$ 

#### § 162.1502 Standards for enrollment and disenrollment in a health plan transaction.

The Secretary adopts the following standards for enrollment and disenrollment in a health plan transaction

- (a) For the period from October 16, 2003 through March 16, 2009: ASC X12N 834—Benefit Enrollment and Maintenance, Version 4010, May 2000, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X095 and Addenda to Benefit Enrollment and Maintenance, Version 4010, October 2002, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X095A1. (Incorporated by reference in §162.920.)
- (b) For the period from March 17, 2009 through December 31, 2011, both:
- (1) The standard identified in paragraph (a) of this section; and

- (2) The ASC X12 Standards for Electronic Data Interchange Technical Report Type 3—Benefit Enrollment and Maintenance (834), August 2006, ASC X12N/005010X220 (Incorporated by reference in \$162.920)
- (c) For the period on and after January 1, 2012, the standard identified in paragraph (b)(2) of this section.

[74 FR 3327, Jan. 16, 2009]

# Subpart P—Health Care Payment and Remittance Advice

### § 162.1601 Health care payment and remittance advice transaction.

The health care payment and remittance advice transaction is the transmission of either of the following for health care:

- (a) The transmission of any of the following from a health plan to a health care provider's financial institution:
  - (1) Payment.
  - (2) Information about the transfer of ands.
  - (3) Payment processing information.
- (b) The transmission of either of the following from a health plan to a health care provider:
  - (1) Explanation of benefits.
  - (2) Remittance advice.

# § 162.1602 Standards for health care payment and remittance advice transaction.

The Secretary adopts the following standards for the health care payment and remittance advice transaction:

- (a) For the period from October 16, 2003 through March 16, 2009: Health care claims and remittance advice. The ASC X12N 835—Health Care Claim Payment/Advice, Version 4010, May 2000, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X091, and Addenda to Health Care Claim Payment/Advice, Version 4010, October 2002, Washington Publishing Company, 004010X091A1. (Incorporated by reference in §162.920.)
- (b) For the period from March 17, 2009 through December 31, 2011, both:
- (1) The standard identified in paragraph (a) of this section; and
- (2) The ASC X12 Standards for Electronic Data Interchange Technical Report Type 3—Health Care Claim Payment/Advice (835), April 2006, ASC